TUESDAY MORNING, APRIL 24, 1900.

GEO. W. HAINES, '- Editor and Proprietor. \$1.50 in Advance : \$2 if not Paid in Advance

COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE. The members of the Democratic Executive Committee of Jefferson county are requested to meet in Charles Town at 10 o'clock, A. M., Friday, April 27, 1900, for the purpose of providing for the selection of delegates to the district convention which meets in Charles Town on May 16th to name delegates to the settless. national convention, and considering such other matters as may properly come before the committee. A full attendance of members requested. JNO. M. DANIEL, Ch'm.

#### COMMITTEE MEETING.

A meeting of the Democratic Congressional Committee for this Congressional District, is hereby called for May 15th, at 4 p. m., at Charles Town, efferson co., for the purpose of fixing the t me and naming the place for holding the convention to nominate a candi 'ate for Congress in said District and to transact business that may properly come W. B. CORNWELL, Chm'n.

The round-trip rate to the Louisville reunion from here will be about \$12.75. their silver wedding on Monday of last

Mr. Harry Hopkins has been appointed Census Enumerator for the Forty-First Enumerating District of this State, including Charles Town.

ferred for this week to our first page, Two new announcements, however, will be found on this page.

Mr. Robert H. Phillips says he is much obliged for the compliment of being announced, but that he will positively not be a candidate for re-election to the Town

are named in the board of directors.

The Shepherdstown Fire Co. at its last meeting honored itself by electing Mr. Charles Broadway Rouss, of New York. a gentleman well known and greatly beloved, as an honorary member of that company and by resolution designated Mr. Thomas R. Moore, of this place, as the medium through which Mr. Rouss should be notified.

It is the concensus of opinion of many that the time set for holding the Demo- ernment. Some say a government has cratic State Convention in West Virginia no right to legislate on moral questions is entirely too early. That it should be Murder and theft are moral questions. held long before the meeting of the Na- Prohibition or local option is the remedy tional Convention is most extraordinary and unusual, and as far as can be seen entirely without good reason therefor.-Has not our State Committee made a great big mistake in this matter?

Col. R. P. Chew when in the West selling also for its educative influence. Virginia Legislature secured the passage No Christian or moralist ought to tolerof a bill placing a tax of \$10 on home ate anything short of refusing to license and \$50 on foreign corporations. This the liquor business. What the church law, we are credibly informed, is to-day stands for the saloon stands against,yielding the State an annual revenue Moral suasion should also be used. 'Ten of very nearly one hundred thousand Nights in the Bar Room' ought to be in dollars. So much for the presence in every home in this county. Flood the our law-making body of men capable county with temperence literature. Creand willing to accomplish something for ate public sentiment and arouse that the public good.

We last week overlooked mentioning the announcement of Mayor Washington as a candidate for re-election. So well and faithfully has the present incumbent men who authorize him to do it. Indifference to the evils of the liquor traffic is the greatest hindrance to the cause of the people seeming to design it have more respect for the man who will deal out liquor than for the Christian men who authorize him to do it. Indifference to the evils of the liquor traffic is the greatest hindrance to the cause of the people seeming to design it have more respect for the man who will deal out liquor than for the Christian men who authorize him to do it. Indifference to the evils of the liquor traffic is the charch,"—Frank P. Birkeley, C. T. Griffith. the people seeming to desire it he is willing to accede to their wishes and serve them again. As in the case of his illustrious namesake and kinsman, it is desired that he fill out another term. He will not therefore, as yet, issue his farewell address.

Mr. Daniel Heflebower, of Rippon, is announced in this issue as a candidate for County Commissioner from Kabletown District. Mr. Heflebower, it will be remembered, was spoken of some time ago in connection with this position. He is not only well known to the people to Mr. Walton, of Hamilton, Va., having all over the county by reason of being a popular auctioneer, but bears the reputation as a file and the second of tion as well of being an excellent farmer and a good business man. The financial interests of the county, we are sure, may be safely entrusted into his hands.

Mr. James P. Conly announces himself in this issue of the Spirit as a candidate for assessor in the first district. We have known Mr. Conly for a long while, and are quite sure that if elected he would fill the office well and faithfully. He was, in the dark days of bloody war, agallant soldier of the Stonewall Brigade, and afterwards served under the chivalrous Col. W. A. Morgan in the First Virginia Cavalry, and in both of these commands has a number of old comrades who will bid him a hearty Godspeed in his present canvass.

The March number of the "Lost Cause," at Nashville, Tenn. We see by its pubpublished at Louisville, Ky, is a grand lished list that it has but five subscribers reunion edition, replete with handsome at Charles Town, where it should have illustrations and much information in re- at least ten times as many. It publishes gard to Louisville and the approaching much of interest to the ex-Confederate. Confederate reunion in that beautiful The subscription price is but One Dollar city. Miss Florence Barlow, the associate per year, and we will furnish it with the editor and manager, is taking great inter- Spirit of Jefferson, the two for \$2 cash est in providing full information for the in advance for one year. If you are going veterans, and the Confederate Reunion to the Reunion you should have it, or it Committee is putting forth extra efforts not going you should have it anyhow, to to make this reunion eclipse anything of read about the big Reomon. the kind heretofore, and to give all comers a royal welcome, with the best accommodations at reasonable prices.

It has been said that there is some talk of holding our Democratic County Primary Election the latter part of May, but we trust there is no such intention. All the expressions we have heard are utterly opposed to an extraordinarily early primary, and especially to holding it about the latter part of May or first of June .- above is an eminently worthy one, and The Charles Town. Shepherdstown and we are sure there is no Democrat in Jef-Winchester Memorial Days come at this ferson more worthy, or whom his fellowperiod, besides the Louisville Reunion, citizens would take more delight in honwhich a number of our voters will at- oring as a delegate to the National Cont nd. Then the Charles Town corpora- vention. The state of the Captain's tion election occurs the fourth Thursday health, however, is such that although he in May, and will to some extent distract would like to attend this great meeting the attention of a good many voters in and go over the scenes of his earlier Charles Town district. On the whole, professional life, he would not risk the therefore, it will, we are sure, be found long jurney and rush and excitement of advisable to have our primary later, when such an occasion. He appeciates the there are not so many other matters to honor intended, but will not be a candiattrict the attention of voters or take date for delegate to the Kanas City Conthem away from home. vention.

Another \$50 to the Rouss Bust.

The Independent Fire Company, John V. Rowan Camp, U. C. V., Capt J. C. Iolmes and other citizens of Charles Town have made another fifty dollar contribu on to the fund for a bust of Mr Charles Broadway Rouss to be presented to the city of New York, This, we understand, completes the amount necessary for the undertaking. Miss Halie Erminie Rives, who has the matter in charge, writes Capt. Holmes a handsome May. Charles Town heads the list services. of contributors, and will be given a prominent place at the unveiling.

Dr. Smithson's Address.

Large and enthusiastic audiences greeted Rev. Dr. Rumsey Smithson at the court-house last Friday afternoon and night. The doctor spoke under the auspices of the local Anti-Saloon League .-His address in the afternoon was on the "Evils of the Liquor Traffic and Their additional Ruling Elders. Remedy.'

The speaker said: "It is strange there House next week, beginning Monday. should exist a necessity for a speech on April 30, conducted by Rev. L. R. Milsuch a topic at the close of the 19th cen- bourns. Elder T. G. Magruder, of Bentury of the Christian era. No pequniary tonville, Va., will aid in the meetings. Senator and Mrs Elkins celebrated benefit is derived from the traffic. The Rev. H. H. Kennedy will conduct an saloon keeper in the long run suffers fi- anniversary service for Wildey Lodge, nancially by it. Some trouble is sure to L. O. O. F., in the M. E. Church South ome upon him or his family, Scarcely next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. one escapes. It is a political evil. It The public cordially invited to attend. costs the government \$10 for every dol- Bishop Peterkin will visit Grace P. E ar which is received as revenue from the Church, Middleway, for the purpose of traffic. It is a social evil. It seriously administering the rite of confirmation. Our announcement column is trans- affects society. It is a moral evil and is on Sunday, May 13, promptly at 11 a, m, nost powerful because it is organized. Bishop Gravatt will visit the Church of and protected by the government. It the Holy Spirit, Summit Point, at 11 a. governs political organizations and elects m., and St. Bartholomew's Church, Leecandidates who will not oppose the busi- town, at 3:30 p. m., on Sunday, May 29, ness. It undertakes to control private for the purpose of administering the rite citizens by boycotting. There are many of confirmation. A. J. WILLIS, weak-kneed men in business who care more for business than principle. It

seeks to control the pen, to inflence the copal Church will meet in St. Bartholo An organization of a Society of Colo- pulpit. The pulpit has been silenced by nial Dames of West Virginia has been it in many instances, and some preachers effected at Charleston. Mrs Geo S Eys- apologiize for it. The liquor busines is ter and Miss Wendling, of this locality, worse than horse stealing. A thousand times worse. It steals your boy. Liquor sellers are for the most part lawless and law defiant. They will not be brought under the control of legislation. The remedy is not high license. This remedy originated among the liquor men. They do not want high license, but they prefer it to prohibition. High license is a sin as much as low license. Both are

pear in next week's issue.

fit of Mrs. McGraw's health.

REPORTER FOR THE LEAGUE.

John T. McGraw, of Grafton, and daugh-

er, Miss Rose, have gone to Atlantic City,

N. J., to spend a few weeks for the bene-

Mr. Jos. C. Avis has purchased of Mr.

place, negotiations for the sale of the store

pharmacist, and his return to this place

See advertisement of rates to the Lou-

sville reunion by the Chesapeake & Ohio

R'y. This route is an exceedingly at-

tractive one, and not only lies through

some of the most magnificent scenery in

West Virginia, passing our own State

capital, but traverses the heart of the cel-

ebrated blue grass region of Kentucky,

via Ashland, Lexington, Frankfort and

other cities of historic interest. The

passenger service of the C. & O., as is

well known, is one of the finest in the

Every ex-Confederate soldier able to do

so should subscribe to the "Confederate

Veteran," a worthy magazine published

We learn indirectly that Capt. Geo

Baylor, of Charles Town, will probably be a candidate for District Delegate to

he National Democratic Convention

The tribute paid Capt. Baylor in the

country.

[Clarke Courier,

will be pleasing to his many friends.

p, m. Evening prayer and sermon by Rev. Dr. Neilson, 7:30 p. m. Max 9, intercessory prayor by Rev. I. S. Douglas, morally wrong. Any license of an evil 10 a. m. Holy Communion and sermon by Rev. C. C is against God and humanity, and is at Pearson, 11 a, m,
Address on Cuba by Rev Dr. Neilson, 3 p m
Missionary service by Rev. 1. S. Douglas war with morality and gogd civil gov-MAY 10.

Interees cry prayer by Rev. I. S. Douglas a. m. Morning prayer and sermon by Rev. C. E a refusal to legalize the business. It is a ss to clergy and laity by Bishop Pe lie that more liquor is drank where local terkin, S p. m.

Evening 17 syer and sermon by Rev. G. A. Gibbons, 7:50 p. m. option exists. How is it at Leesburg, Va. Under local option only bottles are I will be glad to have all to attend and brought into a town: under license bartake part in the services. rels. You need the law against liquor

A. J. Willis, Rector of Nelson Parish.

Rector of Nelson Parish.

The Eastern Convocation of the Epis

mew's church, Leetown. May 8-10, in

MAT 7.

Preparatory service and sermon by the Dean, 7:30 p. m.

MAY S.

Jutercessory prayer by Rev. I. S. Douglas, 10 a. m.,
Morning prayer and sermon by Rev. R. S. Coopland, 11 a. m.
Business meeting and missionary reports, 3

clusive. Order of services:

The Ministers' and Laymen's meeting of the Shenandoah Baptist Association, which meets on every 5th Saturday and Sunday during the year, for the discusion of religious subjects, will hold its next, session at Summit Point, the following being the programme for the occasion:

FRIDAY. At 7:30 o'clock-Sermon by C. T. Stealey. SATURDAY. At 9:30 o'clock—Devotional meeting led by M. Heidwohl.

which is dormant. The people in this county are rising against it. Moral sentiment is growing. A Christian, if he is an ignoramis, might vote for the saloon.

At 1:30 p. m.—"The relation of faith to work,"—N. O. Sowers, J. B. Brown, O. Finerty, Mrs. Bridget McGraw, mother of Hon.

O'Fisherty.

At ':20 p. m -- 'Interdenominational courtesy." -- E. B. Jackson, W. R. D. Moncure, T. J. Berry.

At 3:20 p. m. -- 'Christian's duty as a Chizen," -- L. R. Milbourne, J. E. Raymond, T. D. Gold SUNDAY.

f:30 a m —Sunday School service; addresses by W. J. Hubbard, T. J. Magruder, G. H. liver. 10:80 o'clock—Recess of 15 minutes. 10:45 o'clock—Address on consecration by

16:43 o'clock—Sermon by Geo. S. Kennard. 11:15 o'clock—Sermon by Geo. S. Kennard. 2 p. m.—'The mission of the church to the world,"—E. B. Jackson, S. W. Cole, Richard W. Richardson his drug business at this

Dr. Miles' Pain Pills, "One cent a dose."

Charles Town, Jefferson county, W. Va., on Saturday last:

F. C. Barton, Mattle Berry, Mr. D. Brooks, Louise Brown, Mary Moore, Oll Hyde, O. M. Cummings, Mr. Hopkins Gibson. The above letters, if not called for within fifteen days, will be sent to the dead letter office. Persons calling for them will please say that they are advertised.

L. D. GETZENDANER, P. M.



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what suffering from falling of the womb, whites, painful or irregular menses, or any disease of the distinctly feminine organsis. A man may sympathize or pity but he can not know the agonies she goes through—the terrible suffering, so patiently borne, which robs her of beauty, hope and happiness. Yet this suffering really is needless.

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An April Wedding.

"Pleasant View," the beautiful home Rev. Dr. A. C. Hopkins will preach of Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Myers, near it Kabletown next Sunday afternoon. Charles Town, was the scene of a happy Services in St. James' Catholic Church, event on Wednesday morning, April 18, Charles Town, on the 4th Sunday of at 8 o'clock, when their youngest daugheach month, at 10:30 a. m. ter. Miss Alice, and Mr. Edward K. Bishop Gravatt will visit this parish for Clark, formerly of Harford county, Md., the purpose of administering the rite of were united in the holy bonds of matri confirmation on Sunday, April 22. mony, Rev. Father Massey, rector of St. Bishop Gravatt confirmed a class of Peter's Catholic Church, Harper's Ferry,

Church Items.

Summit Point.

eighteen in Zion Episcopal Church last performing the impressive ceremony,letter of acknowledgment, and says the Sunday. Rev. W. P. Chrisman took It was a quiet, but beautiful home wed bust will be unveiled about the first of part, with Rev. R. S. Coupland, in the ding, only a very few being present. The bride was handsomely attired in No preaching service will be held by caston brown silk, trimmed with white the Charles Town Baptist Church next taffetta and lace, and carried a shower Sunday. The pastor will attend the boquet of white carnations and calla lil-Ministers' and Laymen's Meeting at lies. The bridal dress was the same that was worn by the bride's mother 33 years A meeting of the communicants of the ago. Miss Helen Moler, of Uvilla, the bridesmaid, wore a beautiful Dewey gray Presbyterian church will be held immetrimmed with white and blue silk. Mr. diately after morning service on Sunday, John Myers, brother of the bride, was May 6, for the purpose of electing two best man. The parlor was adorned with potted plants. After the ceremony the Night meetings at Riverside School-

bride donned a handsome gray traveling suit. Mr. and Mrs. Clark left on the 9:47 B. & O. train for a bridal tour to Washington and Baltimore. Elegant refreshments were served, and the bride's cake was a marvel of beauty. The presents were handsome and useful. A host of friends extend congratulations to the happy couple, and wish them bon voyage over the matrimonial sea.

STATE OF UNIO, CITT OF TOLEDO, 1 88. STATE OF UNIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, 1 SE.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes cath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo. County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOL-LARS for each and every ease of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'SCAT RRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my creaence, this 6th day of December, A.D. 1896,
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Wheatland News.

Miss Leah Hawkins spent Easter with Miss Lizzie Gordon in Gerardstown.

Misses Nettie and Mary Huy It visited rela-tives in Hager-town during Easter.

Miss Bessie Young, of the Valley Female institute, spent Easter at the parental home it "Cool Suring." Institute, spent Easter at the parental home at "Cool Spring."

Mr. E. A. McKee was quite b sy last week delivering nursery stock he had sold or the Franklin Davis Nursery Co. He has sold large orders for fall delivery.

There will be prayer meeting in Benlah Chu ch ne et Sunday at 8 p. m. All nvited. Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Roberts returned last week from a visit in Maryland

Mrs. Sallie Haining, of cinalia, Neb., is visiting the family of Mr. H. A. Lockhart.

Aiss Bet ie Huyett, of Berryville, visited the family of Mr. L. R. Huyett last week.

Candidates have been quite numerous the past week. past week.

Mr Lippitt Renner is agent for the "Life of Moody," written by his son, W. R. Moody, the only authorized edition on the Markat. Prices range from \$\frac{2}{2}\$ to \$\frac{4}{2}\$.50, according to binding Any of his friends desiring a copy would do him a great favor by dropping him a postal to Wheatland, W. Va.

Miss Rosa Griffith, of Millville, is visiting Mrs. Geo. W. Colbert.

For Assessor,

We are authorized to announce Mr. J. P. CONLY as a candidate for Assessor in the first district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary,\*

For County Commissioner, We are authorized to announce Mr. DANIEL HEFLEBOWER as a candidate for County Commissioner in Kabletown District—subject to the a concernity. If elected he promises a faithful and conscient us discussed in the control of the datie of the office, for the best interests of all the people.

### The Roberts-Hawley

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D. W. BORDER, M. D. Present Address

KEARNEYSVILLE, W. VA. Ap II 24-tf.

Town Ordinances.

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ADVERTISED LETTERS.

List of Town Liferranging in the Postoffice at Charles Town Liferrange and the Postoffice at Charles Town Life and Town Life Ordinance No. 14.

If the owner or driver \* \* \* shalls ffer such animal or suimals to stand on a y street, alley \*r public \*quare in this town without properly b ing fastened by the bridle or reins, or without having some person to watch the same and prevent their starting, every person so offending shall pay a fine of not less that \$1.00 nor more than \$10.00 for each offens. Crdinance No. 39.

Any erron or p roots erec ing or permitting a hi ching po to be maintained in front of their property shall be required to kep the street and gutter adj cent to such post in clean and good condition, under a renalty of not less than \$5 00 nor more than \$10 00.

r inance No. 40, 'r inance No. 40.

No person shall be allowed or permitted to hitch his horse to any bolt, post or hitching device with n the corporate imits, and a low or permit such horse or horses to revain hitched for a longer time than five hours, under a penalty of not less than \$1.00 nor more than \$5.00

By order of the Council.

GrOAGE WASHINGTON,
April 18, 1999.

Mayo HURRAH FOR UNCLE SAM AND HUR-RAH FOR UNCLE TOM."

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April 24. Washington, D. C.



The Confederate Veteran. STATISTICS SHOW 70 PER CENT. CURED LOW CLUB RATES GIVEN WITH THE Spirit of Jefferson.

The grawth of the Confederate Veteran, published by S. A. Canning am, at N shville, Tenn., is remarkable. Its circulation of 84 issues, monthly, argregated to January, 1900, 1,195,452 copies, Average for 1893, 7,6-3, 1894, 10,137; 1895, 12,9 6; 1896, 18,444; 1897, 16,175; 1 98, 19,100; 1899, 20,166.
Subscriptions for the Veteran will be received at this office. It and the S hit of Jeffelison will be sent for a year at the club rate of \$2. By application to the Sprint of Jeffelison copies of the Vetaran will be sent to cur veteran friends who are unable to subscribe.

April 24.

C rporation Election. An election of town officers will be held on

Thursday, May 24, 1900. A M yor and three Councilmen-one for ach Ward-will be chosen. PIRST WARD.

Commissioners—B. F. Dooley, Michael Sonders, E. R. Harrell, Clerk—L.A Brinker, Voting Place—Independent Engine House, FECOND WARD. Commissioners—Wm. H. Moore, W. H. Moler, Wm. Hedges, Clerk—Wm. Easterday, Voting Place—Old Citizen Engine House.

THIRD WARD. Commissioners-Lews Dinkle, John L. Hooff, Thus. Rust. Clerk-A. D. Barr. Voting Place-Court-House. GEORGE WASHINGTON,

### Administrator's Sale -OF-PERSONAL PROPERTY. Lot 30, Block 91;

The undersigned as administrator of Mrs.
Mary S. Spotts, Deceased, will offer for sale at public outers at the late residence of Mrs.
Mary S. Spotts opposite the B, & O. Depot in Charles Towe, -efferson County, West Virginia, beginning at 10.30 o'clock on Lot . Thursday, May 10th, 1900.

the personal property of which she died seized and possessed, consisting of the following Bureaus, Washstands,

bed sets, chamber sets, rocking chairs, bed springs, feather beds and bedding, tables, secretary, oil paintings, various pictures, car-pets, wash bowls and pitchers, book cases. RANGE & COOKING UTENSILS, refrigerator, mirrors, lounge, DOUBLE HEATER STOVE,

hair cloth p rlor set, round table, sansage stuffer, tubs jars, kettles, 20 gallon copper ket-LARGE SPINNING WHEEL, SMALL SPINNING WHEEL.

A. W. McDONALD, JOSEPH TRAPNELL, J. F. ENGLE, FRANK BECKWITH, Special Commissioners walters, carpet sweeper, invalid chair, and many other things too numerous to mention, TERMS OF SALE,—All sums of \$10.00 and under, Cash Over \$10.00 a credit of Six months, purchaser giving negotiable note, with two approved endorsers, bearing interest founder. office of McDonald & Bec with, Charles Town, West Virginia.

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Chocolate, Essence Vanilla,
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Saimon, Canned Oys'ers, Rice,
Worcestershire Sauce,
Potted Ham, Dried Beef,
Soopine, 9 O'clek Washing Tea, Chimneys,
Lamp Burners, Crockery, Molasses, Vinegar,
Coal Oil, Chamon, Mustard, Nutmeg, Soaps
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Seven Valuable Tracts STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA, AUDITOR'S OFFICE. Household and Kitchen Furniture. o Land,

Twenty-Four Town Lots -AND-Valuable Personalty.

The undersigned, Special Commissiones in e Chancery Suit of Charles Becker and eo. W. B. C. Vogt, Administrators of Louis ecker, vs. Charles Becker and others, pur-iant to de ree in said cause of February 19, 00, will offer at Public Sale; on the premi-

STATE OE CONNECTICUT.

Has filed in this office its A mual Statement. (hereby made a part of this Certificate.) and its appointment of an Attorney to accept service of process, and has farnished satisfactory evidence that said Company is possessed of the necessary amount of capital, properly invested, to entitle it to transact the business of Insurance in the State of West Virginia. NOW, THEREFORE, I. L. M. La Follete, Auditor of the S are of West Virginia, in pursuance of the authority vested in me by the laws of this State, do hereby authorize the said Insurance Company, its duly authorized agent or agents, to transact the business of Life and Accident Insurance in the State of West Virginia, mill the Sist day of December, 1500, and J. A. Washington, Esq., of Charles Town, W. Va., is authorized, as agent of the aforesaid Company, to transact its appropriate business of Insurance in this State, as provided by law, as far as he may be legally empowered by his letter of appointment, and the instructions which, from time to time, may be given him by the said Company.

IN TESTIMONY W: LERKOF, I have here-Wednesday, May 9th, 1900, commenciing at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described Seven Tracts of Land, situated on the cast side of the Shenandoah river, in Jefferson County, wist Virginia, opposite Millville: Tract No. 1,

394 ACRES. 394 ACRES,
3 Roods and 30 Perches, 110 acres are cleared,
including about 50 acres of fine rich bottom
land, balance in timber. Improvements;
2 HOUSES, 1 BARN, 1 TOBACCO SHED
36x156 FEET, 1 PATENT LIME KILN, with an unusually fine Limestone Quary at the klin. Also a large deposit of Dolemite. This tract also includes

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KEYS' FERRY. VALUABLE WATER POWER. Also to go with the above, 4 Acres, 2 Roods and 20 perches of and on the opposite side of the Shenandoah River, adjoining B. & O. R. Station, which tract is also the Ferry Landing for the Lime Kiln.

Tract No. 2.

Showing the condition of the ÆTNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, organized under the laws of the STATE OF CONNECTICUT, made to the Auditor of West Virginia, pursuant to the laws of said State: Known as the McGraw Farm, containing 149 ACRES. bout 70 acres are cleared, including a Four 

Known as the Rezin Dailey Furm, containing 141 ACRES. Fourth.-The assets of theCom-

About 40 acres are cleared including about 15 acres of Good Bottom Land. Improvements: 2 HOUSES AND 1 BARN.

Tract No. 4, Known as the Green or Koons Farm, co-286% ACRES.

About 140 acres are cleared, including a VINEYARD OF ABOUT 20 ACRES. YOUNG ORCHARD OF KEIFFER PEARS of about 6,000 trees. Balance in timber. Im 2 HOUSES.

Tract No. 5, Known as the Thrasher Farm, and part o

198% ACRES. About 80 neres are cleared, including a YOUNG VINEYARD of about 20 acres, an ORCHARD OF YOUNG KIEFFER PEARS of about 4 acres. Improvements: the

Sixth.—The losses adjusted and due are.

Seventh.—The losses adjusted and not due are.

Eignth.—The losses and matured Endowments unadjusted are.

Ninth.—The losses and matured endownents in suspense, waiting for further proof are IAIN DWELLING, TENEMENT HOUSE A FINE BARN, 40x72 FEET; FRUIT PACKING HOUSE, 40x10 FEET; TOBACCO BARNS, 36x156 FEET; TO BACCO PACKING HOUSE, SOX160 FEET. Tract No. 6. Known as the J. Coyle Farm, containing

166 ACRES. About 60 acres cleared, including a YOUNG PEACH ORCHARD of about 20 acres. Improvements a Small

Tract No. 7,

County of Hartford, ss.

M. G. Bulkeley, President, and J. L. English. Secretar. of the ETNA LIFE INSURNearly all cleared, including a Young
VINEYARD OF ABOUT NINE ACRES.

Also, at the same time and place, Valuable
Personal Property, as follows, such as

WAGONS, HARNIES. WAGONS, HARNESS, SAW MILL AND ENGINE,

Iron Water Pipe, Tobacco Planters, Cultivators and all necessary implements for conducting a large farm. A lot of Fermenters or Large Carks, cancetty from 1.500 to 10.000

from Water Pipe, Tobacco Planters, Cultiva-lors and all necessary implements for con-ducting a large farm. A lot of Fermenters or Large Carks, capacity from 1,500 to 10,000 Gallons. 2 Copper stills in good order, and about 3 000 gallons of red wine; Subscribed and swow.

10th day of February, 1900.

FRANK W. BiDWEL',

Notary Public. WINEPRESS, GRINDERS,

and all necessary equipments for making 80,000 FEET SEASONED LUM BER, from 12 to 24 feet in length, mostly oak;

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of the statement of the ÆFNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, Hartford, onnecticut, on file in this office.

L. M. LA FOLLETTE, 4,000 FEET OF BOARDS. ALL THE FURNITURE. Matting, China and Household effects now contained in the Well-Furnished House on the Thrasher Farm, One WASHINGTON & ALEXANDER, C. H. SHIFMAN, Special Agent, Charles Town, W. Va.

LOT OF LEAF TOBACCO. assorted and packed in cases. About 12,000

TERMS OF SALE .- On the real estate TERMS OF SALE.—On the real estate, one-third Cash and residue in two equ i unman payments, the deferred payments to be evidenced by the notes of the purchaser or purchasers, bearing intere t from day of sale, and secured by a retention of the title until the whole of the purchase noney is paid. On the per onal property a credit of Six Mon hs will be given on all sums over \$10.00, purchaser giving negotiable note, well concrete. chaser giving negotiable note, well encorsed with interest from date. Sums of \$10.00 and under, Casa-Also, on

-Friday, May 11th, 1900, n front of the Court-House in Charles Town West Virginia, ou same terms as real estat named above,

TWENTY-TWO LOTS in the subdivision of the Charles Town Min-ing, Manufacturing and Improvement Com-pany, as follows: Let 19, Block 132;

Lot 17, Block 76: \*Lot 16, Block 77; Lot 17, Block 83; Lot 29, Block 91; Lot 30, Block 91; Lot 16, Block 108; Lot 5, Block 150

Lot G, Block 150 Lot 7, Block 150, Lot 8, Block 150; Lot 9, Block 150; Lot 10. Block 150 Lot 11. Block 150 Lot 12, Block 150: Lot 13, Block 151 Lot 3, Block 155; Lot 23, Block 158; TWO LOTS

n the subdivision of the Charles Town and Washington City Improvement Company: Lot 19. Block 5: Lot 3, Block 12.

I represent the Page Woven Wire Pen e Co. of Adrian, Mkh., in Jefferson and part of Londoun counties. We are not in the Wire Trust, and therefore can put your fence on the osts Jower than any other fence company. For further particulars address JOHN H. HOSTLER, Agt., March 6—m. Dailey, W. Va.

Certficate of Authority. PUBLIC SALE

Friday, April 27, 1900,

BUREAUS, 8

1 CORNER CUPBOARD,

wooden ware.
Also a lot of preserved fruit.

PIANO AND STOOL (antique), 2 refrigerators, 7 coal stoves, 3 wood stoves, oil stove, cooking stove and utensis, coal hods, kitchen tables, churns, carpets, rugs, chairs, crocks, knives, forks, spoons, lamps, 1 piano lamp, washstand sets, wheelbarrow, axe, hoe, rake, garden implements, lawn mower, step ladder, and

TERMS .- Amounts under \$5 00, cash: on \$5.00 and over a credit of Six Months, party giving negotiable note bearing interest, with approved security, payable at the Bank of Charles Town

SALE OF VALUABLE Jefferson County Farm.

The heirs of Mrs. Rebecca Huuter will offer for sale at Public Auction to the high st bidder, before the Court-house in Charles Town, W. Va., that Valimable Farm known as the Eichelberger Farm, situated within three miles o' Charles Town, upon the Bloomery and Halltown Turupike, on

Thursday, 10th Day of May, 1900; CONTAINING 2867 ACRES. This farm is limestone land, almost entirely free from surface r ck, is beautifully rolling, and is known to be one of the most produc-tive farms in the ounty. The improvements

LARGE BRICK DWELLING HOUSE of Thirteen Rooms, with porches in front and rear; a

with necessary and convenient Tenant House, and all the necessary Outbuildings and Im-provements, including two excellent Cisterns and a Large Apple Orchard

A lusting stream of water crosses the up-per end of the place, and runs through the barayard. Convenient to the dwelling house is a large spring, the waters from which form a large cross pond from which is now being cut large quantities of cross.

The dwelling house is benefit.

1,644,000.00 TOTA . LIABILITIES ...... \$47,408,084.04

> TERMS .- One-third cash, the deferred paynents to be secured by a deed of trust upon the land sold and to be made at on: two, three and four years from said date, payable annually, or the whole purchase money cash, if the purchaser wishes it, or the times for the maturing of the deferred payments may be changed to suit the purchaser.

THE HEIRS OF REBECCA HUNFER, CLEON MOORE, A. W. McDONALD

OF A

Tuesday, the 15th of May, 1900, the farm owned by the late Thos E Wood-ward, situated near the Charles Town and Summit Point road, about 4 miles west of Charles Town and one and a-half miles from Summit Point, The said farm contains

acres of which is in fine timber, the remaining 200 scres is first-class farming land, in the highest state of cultivation and fer-ility, convenient to railroad, school and churches, and finely improved by a

four good cisterns, a never failing artesian well, ice house with dairy attached, a good barn, double corn crib.

Possession Given April 1, 1901. TERMS OF SALE—One-third cash on day of sale; the residue in two equal annual payments of one and two years each, to be evidenced by bonds of purchaser, bearing interest from date of sale, deferred payments to be secured by deed of trust upon the premises

Ex'or Thos E woodward, Dec'd Heflebower & west, Aucts aprill4-ts

Jefferson County Farms FOR SALE.

Two hundred and eighty acres in same lo-

rice and terms apply to
B. E. WASHINGTON,
Nov. 28, Charles Town, W. Va,

I am now prepared to fu nish the best of hard and soft coal at rock bottom prices. Don't worehase until you see me. Also the best of wood in large or small lots. Pure lee all the year round. Soft Coal for the use of farmers, blacksmiths and engine operators a specialty. Orders left at the store of S. H. Landis, or at my coal yard (formerly Kennedy's) on the old Lectown road, will have prompt attention, and satisfaction gnaratteed. Dec. 5. MARSHALL BURNS.

Boarders Wanted.

Parties desiring board for summer can be accommodated at Mrs. M. D. LaBoyte anx's on South Samuel street, who has to offer two large comfortable rooms, with bath-modein house. Apply to advertiser for terms.

March 27—2m.\*

I will self publicly at my residence on Main street, Charles Town. W. Va., on

OF THE CITY OF HARTFORD IN THE sale commencing at 10 a. m., the following STATE OF CONNECTICUT, personal property: 8 (1 marble top), 2 double and 2 single ward-robes, 9 washstands (1 marble top), 6 double and 6 single bedsteads, 1 cot, 4 double and

single mattresses, reather beds, pillows,

2 sofas (1 mahogany), sideboard, desk, 2 mahogany dining tables (1 double and I single), bed springs (double and single) blankets, comforts, sheets, pillows, bolster cases, towels, table cloths, nankins, china ware,

implements, lawn mower, step ladder, and other articles too numerous to mention.

ALSO A FINE COW, 1 corn-house building.

Year Ending December 31st, 1899, Charles Town. ELIZABETH C. FLAGG.
Showing the condition of the ETNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, organized under the laws of the STATE OF CONNECTICUT, april7.1900.

1,321.001.91 BANK BARN OF SOX120 FEET. TOTAL A SETS...... \$52,850 299.90

283,136.14

The dwelling house is beautifully situated upon rising ground, surrounded by a lawn, with a abundance of shade and other trees. This farm is soid to partition, and is the most productive and altogether the most attractive that has been offered for sale for a long time in Jefferson county, which is famous for beautiful homesteads and productive farms.

Farm is now under a lease which will expire on the 1st o April, 1901, the tenant paying two-fifths of all the crops grown, with the right to seed a wheat crop this fall. The pur-chaser will acquire the landlord's interest in this lease.

Public Sale Subscribed and swown to before me this

> VALUABLE FARM I will sell at public sale in front of the Court-house in Charles Town on

GOOD BRICK HOUSE,

GRAIN & HAY BARRACK 30x100 a good orchard of apples in tull bearing This farm is under good fence, and is one of the most productive farms in the county, commanding a landscape view of the heart of the finest section in the famous Shenan-dosb Valler.

Ninety acres on Winchester road, three miles from Charles Town. Fine grain and grass land. A comfortable dwelling. Large spring and cress pond at the door. An excellent dairy farm. ality as above, in highest cultivation. Com-nodious dwelling targe bank barn and al-lost every other desirable improvement. For rice and terms and the control of the con

Ice, Coal and Wood.

office of McDonald & Bec with, Charles
Town, West Virginia.

This is to certify that Frank Beckwith,
Special Commissioner, has given bond, with
good security, at required by decree in the
above named cause.

April 17—4t. Clerk of Circuit Court.

JOHN H. HOSTLER, Agt
Dalley, W. Va.

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accommodated with Beautiful Building
and it will be sold very eneap.

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April 18—4t. Clerk of Circuit Court.

April 19—4t. Clerk of Circuit Court.

JOHN H. HOSTLER, Agt
A GOOD ICE BOX—Any one in need of
it at Easterday & Co.'s Tin and Stove House,
and it will be sold very eneap.

Charles Town for residences. Call not Easterday & Co.'s Tin and Stove House,
Jan, 16, 1900.

Between the court of the court o

207 1-2 Acres First-Class Land,